



JUNE 2023 - QUARTERLY REPORT

ASX: VIP**25 July 2024****HIGHLIGHTS:**

- **Company continues to focus on trading and distribution of glove products**
- **Cost cutting measures to implemented to contain further losses**
- **To resume production of nitrile gloves when selling prices improves**
- **Company on the lookout for accretive, stable and sustainable business opportunities**

VIP Gloves Limited ('VIP' or the 'Company') presents its operation and activity update along with the attached Appendix 4C cash flow statement for the quarter ended 30 June 2023.

Business operations during the June quarter (Q4 FY2023)

During the June 2023 quarter, VIP continued to actively trade in glove products, in particular nitrile gloves. The suspension of manufacturing operations since the earlier part of the financial year was due to challenging business environment brought forth by massive increases in new nitrile gloves production capacity globally, in particular from the People's Republic of China.

VIP took advantage of the excess capacity situation and procure nitrile gloves from other suppliers in Malaysia to fulfil its orders. As such, VIP managed to maintain its long-term relationship with its existing customers without incurring heavy losses due to low production levels and high operating costs.

With the modified business model, the operating and non-operating expenses have been reduced markedly. Efforts were also made to further lower its non-essential expenses, save for certain unavoidable overheads and fixed expenses. Meanwhile, VIP took the opportunity to undertake .

Financial performance

Revenue for the quarter under review (April to June 2023) was RM3.9 million (approx. AUD1.3 million), with the full financial year revenue grossing some RM5.3 million (approx. AUD1.7 million). Nonetheless, Receipts from Customers during 4Q and the financial year were higher at AUD\$1.5million and AUD\$2.1 million respectively including receipt of outstanding amounts owing for sales in the previous quarter and financial year.

During the financial year, VIP directors, following a review moved to raise an impair charge on certain old plant and machinery (PPE) with an impairment charge of RM31.9million (AUD10.5million). As a result, Unaudited Loss after Tax for the financial year was RM38.6 million (AUD12.8 million).

Resignation and Appointments

Mr Andrew Metcalfe has resigned as Company Secretary with effect from 3 May 2023. Management has since been actively scouting for a suitable replacement. At the same time, two potential resident directors have been identified to replace the directors who have resigned earlier of the year.



Legal action update

The ongoing legal action brought against the company since 2020 has been on-going. The court has fixed the date for the appeal by the Plaintiff to 7 Dec 2023. VIP maintained its position that the action was frivolous and vexatious and will continue to defend its position.

Outstanding ASX reporting requirements

The directors and management are actively working to satisfy all outstanding ASX lodgements. The Company anticipate completing work and lodgement of outstanding reports in the near term with the objective of making application to ASX for the release from trading suspension of its shares once the Company satisfies all ASX listing rule requirements.

New business activities

Whilst the management are expecting a gradual recovery in the nitrile glove business, it is not viable at this time to resume production activities. When global supply and demand situation reaches an equilibrium and subsequently reflects improved trading conditions VIP anticipate a resumption of production activities. In the interim the Company will continue to engage in trading and distribution of glove products. Notwithstanding this, the Company will continue to seek new business opportunities which can provide stable and sustainable growth potential. The Company will update shareholders when any material proposals are identified.

This announcement has been approved by the Board of VIP Gloves Limited.

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About VIP Gloves Limited

VIP Gloves Limited (VIP) is an Australian public company whose securities are listed for quotation on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX code: VIP).

Forward Looking Statements

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Appendix 4C

Quarterly cash flow report for entities subject to Listing Rule 4.7B

Name of entity

VIP GLOVES LIMITED

ABN

83 057 884 876

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

JUNE 2023

Consolidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
1. Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1 Receipts from customers	1,459	2,078
1.2 Payments for		
(a) research and development	-	-
(b) product manufacturing and operating costs	(488)	(1,685)
(c) advertising and marketing	-	-
(d) leased assets	(55)	(413)
(e) staff costs	(130)	(683)
(f) administration and corporate costs	(1,288)	(1,872)
1.3 Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
1.4 Interest received	-	-
1.5 Interest and other costs of finance paid	(245)	(393)
1.6 Income taxes refunded (progressive tax refund for the financial year ended 30 June 2021)	232	1,328
1.7 Government grants and tax incentives	-	-
1.8 Other (provide details if material)	-	-
1.9 Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(515)	(1,640)
2. Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1 Payments to acquire:		
(a) entities	-	-
(b) businesses	-	-
(c) property, plant and equipment	(15)	(18)
(d) investments	-	-
(e) intellectual property	-	-
(f) other non-current assets	-	-

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
2.2	Proceeds from disposal of:		
	(a) entities	-	-
	(b) businesses	-	-
	(c) property, plant and equipment	1,862	1,864
	(d) investments	-	-
	(e) intellectual property	-	-
	(f) other non-current assets	-	-
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities	-	-
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)	-	-
2.5	Other (refund of proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment)	-	-
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	1,847	1,846

3.	Cash flows from financing activities		
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	-	-
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	-	-
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	-	-
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities	-	-
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	-	1,960
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	(964)	(1,741)
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings	-	-
3.8	Dividends paid	-	-
3.9	Other (director's advances for working capital purposes)	(15)	24
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	(979)	243

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	115	115
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(515)	(1,640)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	1,847	1,846
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	(979)	243

Consolidated statement of cash flows		Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (12 months) \$A'000
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	(13)	(11)
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	455	455

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	455	115
5.2	Call deposits	-	-
5.3	Bank overdrafts	-	-
5.4	Other (provide details)	-	-
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	455	115

6.	Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	36
6.2	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	-

Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments

7.	Financing facilities <i>Note: the term "facility" includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity. Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.</i>	Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000
7.1	Loan facilities	1,407	1,407
7.2	Credit standby arrangements	-	-
7.3	Other (please specify) - third party	366	366
7.4	Total financing facilities	1,773	1,773

7.5	Unused financing facilities available at quarter end	Nil
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- 7.6 Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.

Term loan (secured) – Al Rajhi Bank 1.25% above the bank's BLR (A\$1.514m) – maturing September 2025

BLR – Base lending rate

The credit facilities are secured by way of:

1. Legal charge over a subsidiary, KLE Products Sdn. Bhd.'s vacant leasehold land;
2. Debenture over fixed and floating assets of a subsidiary, VIP Glove Sdn. Bhd., present and future;
3. Jointly and severally guaranteed by Directors of subsidiary companies; and
Jointly and severally guaranteed by VIP Gloves Limited and a subsidiary, KLE Products Sdn. Bhd

Third party unsecured loan (A\$0.366m) – 12% p.a. - maturing monthly, renewable

8.	Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (Item 1.9)	(515)
8.2	Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (Item 4.6)	455
8.3	Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (Item 7.5)	-
8.4	Total available funding (Item 8.2 + Item 8.3)	455
8.5	Estimated quarters of funding available (Item 8.4 divided by Item 8.1)	(0.88)

- 8.6 If Item 8.5 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:

1. Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?

The Company has temporarily ceased its glove manufacturing operations since late 2022 and has also reduced its workforce correspondently. Future receipts and payments relate to collection of past glove sales, balance proceed from disposal of factory land and building, payment of outstanding creditors, and payroll expenses as the company actively seeks new opportunities. Third party loans and an inflow of funds from the sale of land and buildings will enable the company to meet outstanding creditors and provide working capital for ongoing operations.

2. Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?

The company has received a letter of support from a major shareholder who continues to fund the company's operations. The company has also secured the sale vacant land adjoining the factory site.

3. Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?

Despite shutting down the manufacturing operations for the time being, the Company is engaged in trading of glove products so as to maintain its relevance in the business. Coupled with short term funding from its major shareholders, the Company is able to meet its commitments whilst awaiting for resumption of manufacturing operations when situation permits.

Compliance statement

- 1 This statement has been prepared in accordance with accounting standards and policies which comply with Listing Rule 19.11A.
- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

This Appendix 4C cashflow report has been approved by the board of VIP Gloves Limited

Date: 25 July 2024

Authorised by: **The Board of VIP Gloves Ltd**
(Name of body or officer authorising release – see note 4)

Notes

1. This quarterly cash flow report and the accompanying activity report provide a basis for informing the market about the entity's activities for the past quarter, how they have been financed and the effect this has had on its cash position. An entity that wishes to disclose additional information over and above the minimum required under the Listing Rules is encouraged to do so.
2. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards, the definitions in, and provisions of, *AASB 107: Statement of Cash Flows* apply to this report. If this quarterly cash flow report has been prepared in accordance with other accounting standards agreed by ASX pursuant to Listing Rule 19.11A, the corresponding equivalent standard applies to this report.
3. Dividends received may be classified either as cash flows from operating activities or cash flows from investing activities, depending on the accounting policy of the entity.
4. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the board". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a committee of your board of directors, you can insert here: "By the [name of board committee – eg Audit and Risk Committee]". If it has been authorised for release to the market by a disclosure committee, you can insert here: "By the Disclosure Committee".
5. If this report has been authorised for release to the market by your board of directors and you wish to hold yourself out as complying with recommendation 4.2 of the ASX Corporate Governance Council's *Corporate Governance Principles and Recommendations*, the board should have received a declaration from its CEO and CFO that, in their opinion, the financial records of the entity have been properly maintained, that this report complies with the appropriate accounting standards and gives a true and fair view of the cash flows of the entity, and that their opinion has been formed on the basis of a sound system of risk management and internal control which is operating effectively.